

FORM PTO-1449 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(REV. 7-80) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ATTY. DOCKET NO.

APPLICATION NO.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT
(Use several sheets if necessary)

PA990566

09/419,968

APPLICANT

SARKAR

FILING DATE

10/18/1999

GROUP

2131

DATE MAILED: 10/04/2001

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	Ref No	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPRO- PRIATE
	A1						
	A2						
	A3						
	A4						
	A5						
	A6						
	A7						
	A8						
	A9						
	A10						

RECEIVED
OCT 11 2001
Technology Center 2100

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	Ref No	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS
HS	B1	0781063A	06/25/1997	EP	SIEMENS AG (DE); and English Abstract		
	B2						
	B3						
	B4						
	B5						

OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Page, Etc.)

HS	C1	M. Bertocco et al., "A noise model for quantized data," IMTC/98 CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS. IEEE INSTRUMENTATION AND MEASUREMENT TECHNOLOGY CONFERNECE, Vol. 2, 21 May 1998 (pgs. 1243 - 1247).
HS	C2	Dixon, "Spread Spectrum Systems," SPREAD SPECTRUM SYSTEMS, NEW YORK, J. WILEY & SONS, US, 1994 (pgs. 220 - 222, 254).
EXAMINER	Ho Song	
		DATE CONSIDERED 3/28/02

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

CUSTOMER NO. 23696